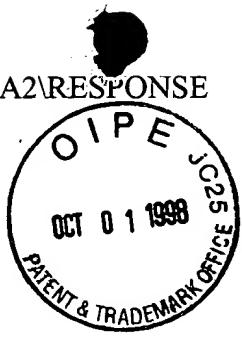


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This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 26, 1998. Applicants' Attorney respectfully requests a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently.